

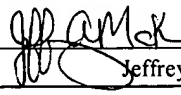


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Steven Teig

Serial No.: 09/739,582

Filing Date: 12/15/2000

For: INTEGRATED CIRCUIT WIRING
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE TO AN OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In complete response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated 10/07/2003,
attached please find:

1. This Amendment Transmittal Letter;
2. An Amendment and Response to the Office Action; and,
3. A Return Receipt Post Card.

The fee has been calculated as follows:

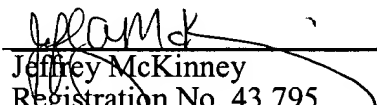
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| ADDED CLAIMS | * | * | x \$18.00 | \$* |
| ADDED INDEPENDENT CLAIMS | * | * | x \$84.00 | \$* |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) | | | + \$270.00 | \$* |
| <u>0</u> MONTHS PETITION FOR EXTENSION FOR REPLY : | | | | \$* |
| Total from Above | | | | \$* |
| Reduction by 1/2 for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). The Applicant hereby states that it qualifies as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27 | | | | \$0.00 |
| | | | | TOTAL = \$0.00 |

The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this transmittal and associated documents, or to credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account No. 50-1128.**

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 7, 2003

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